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Attorney Docket No. 11000.1037c3  
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of **Lorna Strachan, Matthew Sleeman, Nevin Abernethy, Rene Onrust, Krishanand D. Kumble and James G. Murison**

Application No.: 09/823,038

Group Art Unit: 1646

Filed : March 28, 2001

For : **COMPOSITIONS ISOLATED FROM STROMAL CELLS  
AND METHODS FOR THEIR USE**

Examiner : Ruixiang Li

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A check in the amount of \$1,335.00 is enclosed, of which \$55.00 is for the extension fee. Please charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-3555. This sheet is enclosed in duplicate.

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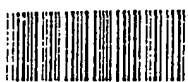
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